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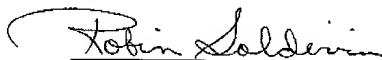
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1251	110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month	
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1254	1,480	2254	740	Extension for reply within fourth month	
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1453	1,330	2453	665	Petition to revive - unintentional	
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